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## a valid OMB control number. Docket Number (Optional) PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) ENT970827-1 In re Application of Michael J. Wiener et al. Filed **Application Number** 08/949,525 10/14/97 For Method and System for Providing Updated Encryption Key Pairs and Digital Signature Group Art Unit Examiner Key Pairs in a Public Key System 2767 Meislahn This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired): \$110.00 One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) Five months (37 CFR 1.17 (a)(5)) Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, therefore the feeramount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ A small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27: is enclosed. has already been filed in this application. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0746 I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. I am the assignee of record of the entire interest. applicant. attorney or agent of record. attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Sept. 7, 2000

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